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Employability as a necessary part of Education
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has take any steps to make employability skills a necessary part of all the educational streams; and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(DR MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry has taken several steps to integrate the vocational skills with the formal education. Through the Skills Assessment Matrix for Vocational Advancement of Youth (SAMVAY) a framework for movement between the skills education and the formal education has been issued. Under the Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA), 7,447 High Schools have been identified for implementation of the vocational education programmes. Apart from this, the following schemes are being implemented for imparting employability skills in the education:
(i) Community College scheme
(ii) Employability Enhancement Training Programme (EETP)
(iii) National Employability Enhancement Mission (NEEM)
(iv) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana by Technical Institutes.
(v) Bachelor in Vocational (B Voc) Programme
(vi) Deen Dayal Upadhyay Kaushal Kendras in higher educational institutions
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